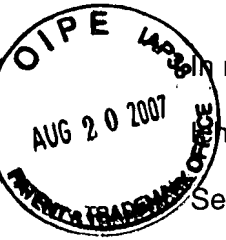


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Re the Application of:

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SIGNAL PROVIDED IN BURST FASHION

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed May 18, 2007, and having a period for response set to expire on August 18, 2007.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.